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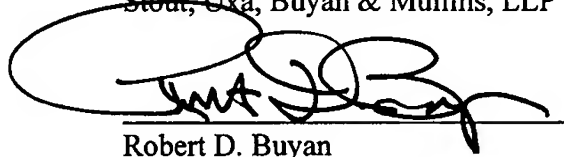
- The hot plate according to claim 10, wherein the glass frit includes zinc boron silicate.

REMARKS

The claims have been rewritten to eliminate multiple claim dependency and to improve readability. The specification has been amended to include US-style headings, and to identify butyl Carbitol as a trademark of Union Carbide.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned attorney regarding any questions and to discuss steps necessary for placing the application in condition for allowance.

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